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Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1)

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for replying to the outstanding Office Action be extended two months from February 19, 2004 to April 19, 2004 by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

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